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## Group plans action against Fall River quarry



Haley Ryan Metro | Halifax

The approval for a controversial quarry near Fall River has one group planning action that could go to the province's Supreme Court.

This Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. at Ash Lee Jefferson School, Stop the Fall River Quarry is hosting a public meeting to bring people up-to-date on the Scotian Materials project that was approved by the province three weeks ago.

"There's a lot of reasons why this isn't a good idea," group member Stacey Rudderham said Monday.

Rudderham said they are filing an appeal to the minister of environment since the approval went through without public consultation, an environmental assessment, the local MLA's input and is against municipal zoning.

is against municipal zoning.
The city is also appealing the decision in the Supreme Court of Canada.

Concerns around the quarry are that it could contaminate water in nearby lakes, as well as bring noise and dust pollution into an area with many schools, Rudderham said.



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Host households and their guests enjoy dinner as part of the Share Thanksgiving project this past weekend. COURTESY CAROLINA ANDRADE

# 'Feeling part of a community'

SHARING

Thanksgiving matches Nova Scotia families to newcomers



**Haley Ryan** Metro|Halifax

Hundreds of Nova Scotian families served up a side of friendship this Thanksgiving weekend. For the second year, Engage Nova Scotia matched Canadians to newcomers and international students through the Share Thanksgiving project, which saw 250 families gather together for dinner.

"It's a really rewarding thing to be a part of," said Nancy Watson, managing director of Engage, a non-profit aimed at increasing collaboration in communities.

"You hear so many ... stories of people who've sent us thank you notes and whose lives and hearts have been opened by the people that they've met."

Watson said the 250 families (2-1/2 times more than last year) include both guests and hosts, ranging from large extended families to single people or couples who are matched with newcomers from China, African and Arabic countries, or elsewhere.

Estimating by the average extended family size, Watson said there were likely more than 1,000 people involved this year.

Although Nova Scotia was one of many provinces that participated in the national project last year and matched more families than any other jurisdiction besides Toronto, Watson said this Thanksgiving saw only Nova Scotia officially on board.

"I guess we have no competitors but I'm sure we would have won in straight numbers ... anyway," Watson said with a laugh.

Although Watson said there were a cluster of hosts in the Halifax region, the whole province took part, especially those in university towns, where international students were made welcome in different homes.

The Syrian refugee crisis and call from the Ivany report to increase the number of newcomers to Nova Scotia makes the project especially important and topical this fall, Watson said.

"(For) people who are here and struggling to build new lives, a simple thing like this can mean the difference between feeling part of a community and not," Watson said. Watson said its not a matter of willingness, since most Nova Scotians want to help immigrants stay here, but often don't know exactly what to do.

Those families who are matched have all said they tend to stay in touch with their new connections throughout the year, Watson said.

"It allows us to be our best selves and be the kind of people and build the kind of community that we want to live in," Watson said.

"It's just a win-win all the way around."



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# Advance polls popular



#### 34 per cent higher turnout in Atlantic than 2011



Halev Ryan Metro | Halifax

The last day of advance polls was a "hit or miss" experience for many across the Halifax area, thanks to a huge jump in voter turnout.

On Monday, many who lined up to cast their ballot at the CNIB poll station on Almon Street in Halifax waited for over an hour, while stations in Dartmouth and Halifax West saw people in and out within minutes.

"It's a bit of a bittersweet sight to see lots of people voting but everybody waiting, Charles Bourne, 26, said at Almon Street, where he had been in line for 45 minutes and still had dozens in front of him.

"It's frustrating."

Bourne said voting in the



Voters line up Monday at the CNIB on Almon Street. JEFF HARPER/METRO

advance polls seemed "hit or miss" around the area, since his father was done very quickly in his own riding.
Other people in line said

they had seen a few give up due to the length of time, including an older man who had knee replacements and couldn't stand B

There's a bit of streamlining that could be done.

Voter Steve Parcell

for very long.

Elections Canada estimated about 850,000 people voted Friday and 780,000 voted Saturday, with a total approximating 1.642 million over the first two days.

Françoise Enguehard, regional spokeswoman for the At-

lantic provinces, said Monday that represented a 34 per cent higher turnout than showed up for advance polls in 2011.

Long lines have been reported across the country, but Enguehard said that's to be expected.

"We had prepared for a larger number, but that exceeded our expectations," Enguehard said, adding advance polls take longer because they're "more convoluted."

Anyone who votes before Oct. 19 has to have their name, address and other information written down and their ID examined by a returning officer before signing a form, she said, in order to ensure no one could vote twice.

Most stations have one ballot box and poll clerk, Enguehard said, and it's not easy to add more tables to help speed things along.

Steve Parcell, who took about an hour and 15 minutes to vote, said doing the same in municipal and provincial elections is much faster.

"It's a very careful process, but, gee, it takes time," Parcell said



#### Girl, 5, hit by car

A five-year-old girl ended up in hospital Monday morning after being hit by a car in the city's south end, Halifax Regional Police said.

The collision happened on the 5900 block of Inglis Street at about 10:40 a.m., when the car involved was travelling westbound, according to a police news release.

Paramedics took the girl to the IWK Health Centre in Halifax, where she was being treated Monday afternoon. Police said her injuries are believed to be non-lifethreatening.

The street was closed between Robie Street and Tower Road while investigators surveyed the

Police spokeswoman Sgt. Christina Martin said charges aren't anticipated in this case, as it appears this truly was "an accident," with the driver likely unable to see the child, who had stumbled onto the road while playing nearby.

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# Vehicle crashes into lake, female occupant injured

ROAD SAFETY

#### **Halifax RCMP** investigators say alcohol was not a factor



A male driver and female passenger weren't seriously injured Monday morning after their Mustang convertible went

off Waverley Road and crashed into Lake William, according The male was able under investigato the Mounties.

"The male was able to get himself out of the vehicle, but the female was kind

of trapped inside," Halifax RCMP Sgt. Linda Gray, of the

Lower Sackville detachment, said later Monday.

"So, the fire department assisted to get her out of the vehicle," Gray said of the call that came in around 11:10 a.m., near the civic address 1920 Waverley Rd.

"But she was able to walk to the ambulance herself," she said, adding the woman was transported to hospital by paramedics "just for more of a precautionary check-up, than anything."

"No serious injuries, luckily," Gray said.

Gray said alcohol wasn't

of the vehicle.

Linda Gray

a factor in the crash, but added the cause is still to get himself out tion by police. She couldn't say whether or not speed was a factor in the collision, which

resulted in extensive damage to the car.



Tow operators get ready to remove a car that ended up in Lake William near Waverley Road on Monday. JEFF HARPER/METRO



#### 🛑 IN BRIEF

#### Man arrested following gun scare at hospital

Police received a report of someone near the Queen Elizabeth II Health Sciences Centre with a firearm. Around 4 p.m. Sunday, Halifax Regional Police saw an 18-year-old man outside the hospital in the Bell Road area and took him into custody. Police said the firearm was believed to be a replica handgun. METRO

#### Woman robbed at ATM

A man threatened to a stab a 21-year-old woman during an ATM robbery in Halifax on Saturday night, police said. Police say the male suspect fled the scene, and the woman wasn't injured. The suspect was described as a white man aged 30 to 40, wearing jeans and a black hoodie. METRO

#### ATV rider dies in accident

A man died following an allterrain vehicle crash in central Nova Scotia. Police say he left his home near Truro Friday night. His family went looking for him Saturday morning, and found his dead body pinned under the overturned ATV. METRO

# Carrot co-op grocer set to close



Halifax's community-owned grocery store is closing, but it may not be gone for good.

The Community Carrot on Gottingen Street sent an email to its members Friday, explaining that it did not have "sufficient capital to continue operating with (its) current monthly

The co-op grocer said it's "winding down the operation"

and closing by the end of next

The email, from the Carrot's board of directors, said it's closing now so that it can keep enough money left over to pay its staff, suppliers and creditors, and take some time to allow the board to spend the winter trying to develop a new business strategy.

The board also thanked the Carrot's members for the support it has received from the community.

"The Carrot has managed to bring together an incredible group of people who have worked to create something in their community that they care about," the email said.

"We are grateful to you for this opportunity.'

Members are urged to go to the next meeting Oct. 17 to discuss the grocer's next steps.

The store opened just over a year ago on Oct. 4, 2014.

Board chairman Norman Greenberg told Metro at the time that the space was purchased with \$115,000 that the Carrot won in an Aviva Insurance contest nearly three years ago.



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# Halifax West: Anything is possible

**#ELECTION 2015** 



It might be hard to shake Geoff Regan out of office, but after a close call in 2011, anything is possible in Halifax West.

The Liberal incumbent — and son of former MP and Nova Scotia premier Gerald Regan — has held the riding since 2000, and was its MP from 1993 to 1997 as well before being voted out for one term.

He was defeated by NDP candidate Gordon Earle.

According to 2011 census data, the riding is Nova Scotia's most populated and most highly educated, has the highest level of employment and average income, and has the highest percentage of immigrant population.

The riding includes the densely populated communities of Bedford and Clayton Park, and extends southwest to Shad Bay, northeast to the Sackville River, and then northwest to Pockwock Lake.

Regan has battled with both the NDP and the Conservatives for the riding in the past.

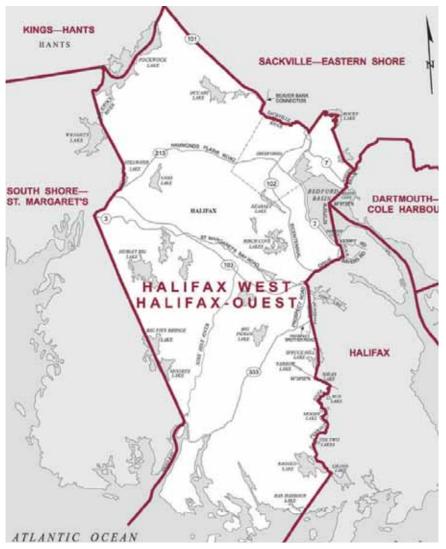
Early on during election night in 2011, it looked like Regan might lose to NDP candidate Gregor Ash before all the votes were counted.

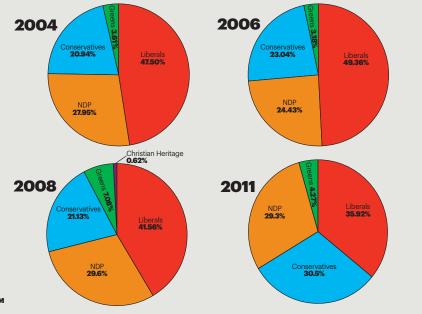
But in the end, Conservative candidate Bruce Pretty came in second, 2,000 votes shy of unseating Regan, with Ash about 500 votes behind him.

## Do you know where to cast your ballot?

If you got a voter information card in the mail, it will tell you where to go to vote on election day.

If you didn't get a card, you can check to see if you're registered to vote by calling Elections Canada at 1-800-463-6868, checking online at elections.ca or by going to your local Elections Canada returning office at 90 Lovett Lake Ct., Suite 401.





# IN THEIR OWN WORDS Why they deserve your vote

#### **Michael McGinnis**

#### Conservative

I continue to hold directorships on the Halifax Community Health Board, Community Justice Society, Youth Project and membership on the Addictions and Mental Heath Public Advisory Committee, as well as Group Commissioner of the 26th Scouts. My experience includes 16 years of military service and years in training instructor, accounting and management. These experiences have given me an understanding of achieving results in challenging situations.



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#### Richard Zurawski

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Perhaps this is what is wrong with the system of getting people out to vote. Let me throw this out to you. Perhaps the media, like your paper, should be more than a collection of sound bites, which ultimately misinforms because of gross generalizations due to the perceived need for "gotcha" moments. This, in fact, is almost offensive, reducing platforms, dialogues and cogent thoughts to a series of tweets. The voters and constituents deserve more than this.



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#### **Geoff Regan**

#### Libera

I've been a strong voice for Halifax West in the House of Commons. I've held 125 town hall meetings, and knocked on thousands of doors asking for feedback from constituents. This has helped me understand your priorities. That's why I'm excited about the Liberal plan to ensure shipbuilding jobs stay in Halifax, our commitment to invest in services such as transit and recreation facilities and our pledge to help middle-class families



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Families are struggling to get ahead. There aren't enough childcare spaces so parents have to leave their careers to stay home. Seniors can't afford their medication costs and students are graduating with debts and fewer jobs available. The NDP has a concrete plan to help reduce income inequality, protect seniors, stop cuts to health care and bring affordable quality childcare for no more than \$15 a day. I'm ready to bring change to Halifax West.



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# PEADYTO ENGAGE Metro's coast-to-coast daily election series connects young, urban Canadians to the issues they care about

# Using phrase 'women's issues' needs to stop



ROSEMARY WESTWOOD

If there's one thing every woman can agree on, it's a distaste for the term 'women's issues.'

The phrase has all the modernity of a knitted doily.

But it has been used over and over again in this election, by politicians, by activists and by ordinary women heading to the polls.

One of the most surprising things about talking to young voters these past few weeks is how often I heard that phrase. From a university student in Alberta, from a small-business owner in

Ottawa, from women who I expected would emphasize other things, job prospects in the case of former, or tax policy in the later. Instead, almost every woman in my small sample size told me "women's issues" was top of their voting list.

Then, most of them told me how much they hate this term. Regardless of their political affiliations, their reasons are the same: Why segregate things important to half of Canadians into some kind of niche market? Why mischaracterize family issues, like child care, as belonging somehow only to women?

The answer has to be: we're stuck.

We're stuck somewhere in between the old sexist construction of society, and some new place of equality. One very articulate and persuasive young woman told me structural sexism in Canada has all but disappeared, but I can't agree. "Women's issues" is an ill-named talking point in this election precisely because, though it feels sometimes that we live in an equal society, statistically, we do not.

Of course, those who would argue that we don't need to advocate for women have a point: things are different these days. And if I only looked at my own life, which has been blessed in

a multitude of ways, I would probably agree that women and men are treated equally. (I found out otherwise only after telling one feminist professor in university that 'feminism is dead")

Many things keep me hopeful. A women-only surfing competition in Tofino. Feminist-themed ads for Ronda Rousey's next UCF fight. Take also this conversation among pre-teens gushing about their future, as overheard by a friend.

"I'm going to do good in high school, and go to the University of Guelph, and then work in a lab so I can

pay for my dorm!"
"I'm going to have a house

with TWO cars!"

"I'm going to go to college and have four dogs!

"I'm going to live in MIAMI!

Still, like other women I've talked to ahead of this election, I would vote on a "women's issues" ticket if I could. But no party is offering it. Some have nodded in its direction while forming their main message around your money (Liberals and NDP), somé have ignored it all together (Conservatives). Elizabeth May is (unsurprisingly) by far the most impassioned, articulate and committed to addressing inequality, but she runs a party created to respond

to environmental issues, and she will not be our next prime minister

Even the laudable Up For Debate effort, which saw every leader but Harper interviewed on women's issues, will hardly change the election outcome.

For it to do that, we'd have to stop using the phrase "women's issues" altogether. We'd have to see gender inequality as a generally Canadian problem.

The usefulness of such an antiquated phrase proves that we need to work harder to make it obsolete. If we don't find a new way of talking about it, the next election will be no different.

### **QUICK GUIDE: WOMEN'S ISSUES**

Here's a breakdown of campaign promises and legislative measures from the NDP, Liberals and Conservatives.

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# Liberals:

NDP would:

· No legislation or campaign promises

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- · Called a national inquiry into murdered and missing aboriginal women.

#### Liberals:

 Called a national inquiry into murdered and missing aboriginal women.

#### **Conservatives:**

 No legislation or campaign promises

#### **Conservatives:**

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## A little selfie-indulgence

NDP Leader Tom Mulcair gets in on a group selfie in Maple Ridge, B.C. PAUL CHIASSON/THE CANADIAN PRESS; RYAN REMIORZ/THE CANADIAN PRESS

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# Trudeau fires back at Harper

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### Liberals go for middle class with promises of tax cuts



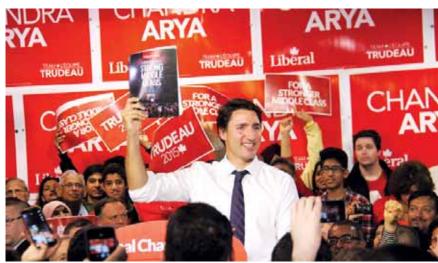
Joe Lofaro Metro | Ottawa

It might be a marathon election, but the top three party leaders are showing no signs of slowing down in the final week on the campaign trail.

Liberal leader Justin Trudeau drew a raucous crowd of about 300 supporters to Barrhaven on Thanksgiving Monday, a day when most people take the day to recover from their food coma.

That wasn't the case for the hundreds of people who lined the sidewalk to get inside campaign headquarters for Chandra Arya, the Liberal candidate in the hotly contested riding of Nepean.

The new riding will be one to watch after Tory incumbent



Liberal Leader Justin Trudeau speaks to a large crowd Monday inside the campaign headquarters of Chandra Arya, the Liberal candidate in Ottawa. JOE LOFARO/METRO

Pierre Poilievre's name will not be on the ballot for the first time in more than a decade. He's running in nearby Carleton, leaving Nepean up for grabs for fresh faces.

The Liberals and Conservatives are neck-and-neck in the riding, according to a poll conducted for Postmedia released last week.

Trudeau's visit wasn't only a significant show of force; it could give Arya, a former hightech executive, banker and engineer, a leg up in the close race.

"He's an incredibly strong part of a great Liberal team

right across Ottawa, right across the country that are going to make real change happen,' Trudeau said of Arya to a loud round of applause from the

His speech spoke to the middle class voter, with a promise to introduce a tax cut for the



- Stephen Harper will be in Toronto and London.
- Justin Trudeau will be in Toronto, Kitchener and Mannheim.
- Tom Mulcair will be in Oshawa, Toronto and
- Elizabeth May will be in

middle class and a child benefit if elected on Oct. 19.

'Unlike Stephen Harper's tax credits, you won't have to wait to get your money. You will see more money on your paycheque right away," said Trudeau. Meanwhile, Conservative

leader Stephen Harper took direct aim at Trudeau Monday in Waterloo, with a game-show style attack on tax credits he said the Liberal leader would eliminate.

'For some families, that could be a Liberal tax hike of up

to \$2,000 a year," said Harper. "These are real benefits. Only the Conservative party in this election is committed to keeping these dollars where they belong — in the pockets of hard working Canadians.'

But Trudeau fired back at the Conservative leader, saying he wouldn't be clawing back any of the boutique tax credits for families that Harper was warning about.

"It highlights that we have a Prime Minister right now who is busy misleading Canadians with untruths," said Trudeau.

"I'm going to let my opponents continue to focus on me. I'm staying focused on Canadians.

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# Hundreds march in Turkey to condemn bomb attack

### Nearly 100 protesters killed at rally on Saturday

Hundreds of people marched through Istanbul and the Turkish capital of Ankara on Monday to condemn the slaughter by suicide bombers at a weekend peace rally, with many venting their anger at the Turkish government itself.

Some demonstrators chanted: "The killer state will be held to account!"

Prime Minister Ahmet Davutoglu, however, rejected accusations by opponents that the government was to blame for the nearly simultaneous attacks Saturday, calling them "dangerous" and "dastardly.'

He also denied that they were a result of Turkey's involvement in war in Syria and that the government was



Protesters in Istanbul stand by a barricade they set on fire during clashes with security forces Monday, following a protest against Saturday's Ankara attacks. CAGDAS ERDOGAN/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

dragging the country into the Middle Eastern quagmire. The government believes two male suicide bombers killed at least

97 people and wounded hundreds at a rally Saturday in Ankara by opposition supporters and Kurdish activists.

"These attacks won't turn Turkey into a Syria," Davutog-

Government opponents

have also accused President Recep Tayyip Erdogan of fomenting violence and ethnic tensions to gain votes for the ruling party in Turkey's Nov. 1 election — an accusation that the Turkish leader rejects.

In the last election in June, a Kurdish party gained support from voters, taking away the ruling party's majority in Parliament — and Erdogan wants that majority back.

Turkish investigators were close to identifying one of the two suicide bombers, the prime minister said Monday, adding that the Islamic State of Iraq and the Levant was the "No. 1 priority" of its investigation.

The rally Saturday was organized by Turkish and Kurdish activists to call for increased democracy and an end to the renewed fighting between Turkey's security forces and Kurdish rebels that has killed hundreds of soldiers, rebels and citizens since July. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

#### 🛑 IN BRIEF

#### Trio arrested in Oregon sent back to California

Three transients accused of robbing and killing a Canadian backpacker and a yoga instructor with a stolen gun days apart have been sent back to California from Oregon, where they were arrested. Authorities say Sean Michael Angold, Morrison Haze Lampley and Lila Scott Alligood killed a 23-year-old backpacker in San Francisco's Golden Gate Park on Oct. 3 and then shot to death a 67-year-old tantra yoga teacher, whose body was on a trail north of the city.

#### Mob kills village mayor

A mob killed a village mayor in western Guatemala in reprisal for an attack on a political rival that resulted in the death of two teenage girls, authorities said Monday.

Prosecutors' office spokeswoman Julia Barrera confirmed the death of 43-year-old Mayor Bacilio Juracan of Concepcion, a town about 180 kilometres west of Guatemala City.

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## **Arab leaders incited stabbings: PM**

Palestinians carried out three stabbings Monday in Jerusalem, leaving a teenage Israeli boy in critical condition, and Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu angrily accused the country's Arab leaders of helping incite weeks of violence. Two of the attackers, both

teenage boys, were killed.

In a fiery speech at parliament, Netanyahu accused Arab parties of "undermining" the country. He called on Israel's Arab citizens to "kick out the extremists among you." Netanyahu spoke on another bloody day, the latest in a monthlong

wave of Israeli-Palestinian violence.

In a new setback for efforts to restore calm, the Quartet of Mideast mediators — the U.S., the UN, the European Union and Russia — postponed a trip to the region.

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# Promises affect finances



## Tax breaks, child care part of pledges on campaign trail

The three major parties have made promises that will affect Canadians' personal finances.

The Conservatives have focused on highly targeted tax breaks to select groups, especially homeowners and seniors, while the Liberals promise sweeping tax breaks for the middle class. The New Democratic Party wants to boost the minimum wage and provide more affordable daycare.

Here's some of the promises:

#### **Home ownership:**

Conservatives: say they will increase the amount that first-time home buyers can with-draw from RRSPs from \$25,000 to \$35,000 and introduce a permanent home-renovation tax credit for up to 15 per cent of renovations.

Liberals: want to remove GST on new capital investments in



All federal parties are wooing the electorate with vows that their policies will help keep more disposable income in Canadians' pockets. THE CANADIAN PRESS FILE

affordable rental housing and expand the Home Buyers' Plan to allow Canadians hit by sudden life changes to use RRSP funds to buy a house without a tax penalty.

NDP: aim to build 10,000 affordable housing units.

#### **Personal taxes:**

Conservatives: say they'd maintain tax brackets.

Liberals: say they'd cut the tax rate to 20.5 per cent, from 22 per cent, for incomes between \$44,700 and \$89,401. Would introduce a new tax

bracket of 33 per cent for those earning more than \$200,000. NDP: pledge not to raise per-

sonal income taxes.

#### Tax Free Savings Accounts:

Conservatives: would keep the \$10,000 increased annual

contribution limit announced in the 2015 federal budget.

Liberals: would roll back the TFSA limit to its pre-budget level of \$5,500 a year.

NDP: would roll back the TFSA limit to \$5,500 a year.

#### Child care:

Conservatives: raised the amount for a child under six to \$160 a month and introduced \$60 a month for children between six and 17 years.

Liberals: promise to combine social assistance into a monthly cheque for all families with children with incomes below \$150,000.

NDP: say they would introduce \$15-a-day national childcare program.

#### Minimum wage:

Conservatives: voted against an NDP motion in 2014 to raise the federal minimum wage to \$15.

Liberals: voted in favour of an NDP motion in 2014 to raise the federal minimum wage.

NDP: would reinstate the federal minimum wage and raise it to \$15 an hour.

## **IN BRIEF**

## Dell paying \$67 billion for data-storage firm EMC

Dell is buying data-storage company EMC in a deal valued at approximately \$67 billion US.

Shareholders of EMC Corp. will receive about \$33.15 US per share. Michael Dell will serve as chairman and CEO of the combined business. Dell Inc.'s headquarters will stay in Round Rock, Texas. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

## Five arrested in Air France union violence

French prosecutors say five people have been arrested in connection with an Air France union meeting brawl that left two executives shirtless.

During a meeting a week ago about fiercely contested job cuts at the money-losing airline, union activists assaulted the managers, including the airline's head of human resources, ripping off their shirts and prompting them to flee over a fence. The allegations of aggravated assault carry a maximum five years in prison.

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# A new experiment, one of many similar, has reaffirmed the cancer-promoting properties of some antioxidants — showing again how hard it is to detoxify an entrenched idea from the public's mind.

the big number

# 44.8%

Was the voter turnout rate on First Nations reserves in Canada during the 2011 federal election — compared to a still-lacklustre 61 per cent rate in the country at large. Activist Deanna Carpenter got involved organizing voter registration clinics in the riding of Kenora, Ont., which is home to 40 different indigenous groups, after she discovered many people who try to register to vote online with a rural, remote or on-reserve address get an error message. Carpenter worried the Fair Elections Act, with its stricter ID requirements, might make the low-turnout problem even worse for people who don't have a driver's licence and may need time to send away for other types of ID. Along with former NDP candidate Tania Cameron, she's part of a Rock the Vote campaign — based in Kenora, but capturing attention across the country — that aims to increase turnout in aboriginal communities by 20 per cent this time around. There's a long tradition of ambivalence and even resistance to voting in Inuit, First Nations and Métis communities, where many people identify primarily as citizens of their First Nation or have lost trust in a government system they feel has failed them. Until 1960, Canada's indigenous peoples were not even allowed to vote or become citizens unless they agreed to surrender certain rights — including the right to live with their community on a reserve. source: CBC

# Daycare leads to a life of crime? Not so fast



Lock up your toddlers. New research will have you thinking that sending them to daycare will lead to a life of crime. At least in the case of low-cost universal daycare.

Last month, a report from the National Bureau of Economic Research made waves for linking youth crime rates with Quebec's daycare system. Currently, parents in Quebec can access daycare for \$20 per day or less — the cheapest rates in the country. The study looked at all Quebec kids and compared them to kids in other provinces. The children from Quebec had academic success, but were unsuccessful in non-cognitive areas such as health, emotional stability and, most controversially, crime.

The link seems weak at

best. As part of their federal election platform, the NDP is proposing making low-cost daycare available to families across the country, an idea that is being commended by child-care advocates and parents nationwide.

The report makes this provocative link between daycare and crime without explaining why it might exist, or making any suggestions for correcting it. Some point to the methodology as problematic: Only half of the Quebec children studied were even in the daycare program. Economist Stephen Gordon is quoted saying this makes sense as, "The families who made use of the daycare program were not randomly selected; they chose to participate."

Is this true, though? As a parent with a limited income, in Ontario, I, like many other parents in similar situations, took whichever daycare spot came through after being

on waiting lists and waiting on a daycare subsidy. Not all spaces here are subsidized, and the ones that are aren't always at top-quality centres. Are parents who need lowcost daycare in Quebec in this position, too? Were the other half of Quebec families leaving their children with a stay-at-home parent or relative, private care, nannies? The study also fails to account for the reality that Quebec's system, though low-cost, isn't ideal. The province created a system it then didn't properly resource, then, in many cases, allowed for-profit private companies to take over care.

According to the Childcare Resource and Research Unit, for-profit daycare often lacks quality. "In order to find funds to ensure profits, profitmaking operations are more likely to skimp on staffing, supplies, equipment and perhaps even food," the research institute wrote in a report. We must consider that the research showing disappointing outcomes in Quebec could reflect the impact of the quality of care on crime rates, not the availability or cost of care.

Another report, from the Human Early Learning Partnership at the University of British Columbia, says studies maligning Quebec's daycare system contradict "nearly an entire generation of robust and consistent findings that demonstrate the positive effects of quality care on young children and that "The 'findings' of increased aggression in children could just as easily be attributed to the children who were not enrolled in a child-care program."

If we give the benefit of the doubt to this latest study, then the take-away is that quality matters.

**Tara-Michele Ziniuk** is a freelance writer and blogger for Today's Parent magazine.

#### **YOUR RIDE**

# We need mandatory side guards on trucks to keep cyclists safe

Erica Butler



More than a year after Johanna Dean was killed on her bike in a collision with a truck, another woman riding a bike has been struck and killed in Halifax.

In its statement of condolences to the victim's family, the Halifax Cycling Coalition reminded us of a simple way to keep people safer on our streets: side guards on heavy trucks.

Large trucks are especially dangerous in side collisions with pedestrians or cyclists, because people can easily slip under the truck and into the path of the rear tires.

Comb through city papers from across North America and you'll read what seems like the same report, over and over, with different names. Cyclists caught off guard by a right-turning truck, and then pulled under the rear wheels to their deaths.

This is where side guards come in. A panel or set of bars fastened to the side of a truck can help prevent people being drawn under its wheels.

The cycling coalition has asked the city to install side guards on all of their trucks, and require their contractors to do so, as well.

While it would be good for the city to step up here, as Portland, Boston and Montreal have, this is really a national issue. The fix is up to our federal leaders, and those who work for them at Transport Canada.

Twice now, in 1998 and 2012, after investigating cycling deaths in the province, the Ontario coroner asked Transport Canada to make side guards mandatory on heavy trucks in Canada.

Side guards are mandatory in Europe and Japan. The U.S. National Transportation Safety Board has twice recommended they become national policy. In the U.K., where they are mandatory, there are now 61 per cent fewer fatalities in side collisions with trucks.

Back in 2011, then-MP Olivia Chow put forward a private member's bill to bring mandatory truck side guards to Canada. Like most such bills without a government to back them up, it went nowhere.

The police have yet to release the details of their investigation into the recent death on Purcells Cove Road, so it's anyone's guess if side guards would have made a difference in that situation.

But there's good reason to believe they would have helped prevent the death of Johanna Dean, and a long list of others killed in cities across the country in recent years.

We have a simple, uncontroversial way to prevent some needless deaths. Let's hope our next federal government will not wait for another tragedy before making truck side guards mandatory here.

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# Double shift for winger author

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You can't take the **Leafout of Zach Hyman's Hockey** Hero kids book

Melissa **Dunne** For Metro Canada



Athletes aren't exactly known for their book smarts.

And hockey players, in particular, are often depicted in books, movies and the news as monosyllabic, black-eyed, gap-toothed

Zachary Hyman slams those stereotypes up against the boards.

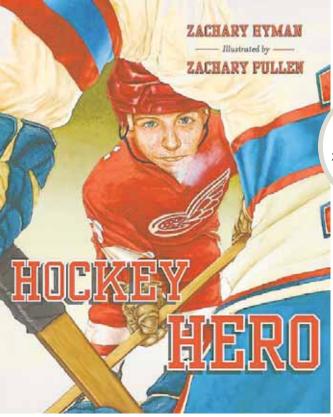
He's a hockey player in Toronto who isn't just hitting the ice with the pros this month — he's hitting the shelves with his second children's book Tuesday.

The 23-year-old was recently signed by the Toronto Maple Leafs, and he's also under contract to write two more books.

The athlete/author is confident he'll be able to stickhandle both writing and skating in the future. After all, he's found the pursuits of the body and the mind complement each other. He likes to write during his downtime as a way to relax and says the schedule of a hockey player can actually be helpful.

'In the off-season I have a lot of time on my hands," said Hyman by phone from Toronto earlier this month.

He's used that spare time off the ice very efficiently over the past few years. On top of writing



his children's books, he recently earned an honours degree in history from the University of Michigan. While still a student at Michigan he published his debut book, The Bambino and Me.

His second effort, Hockey Hero, is once again illustrated by awardwinning illustrator Zachary Pullen.



I've always loved reading. I also enjoy writing ... it's an outlet.

Pro hockey player and children's book author Zachary Hyman

The book tells the tale of how Tommy Toomay, an eight-year-old with a stutter, eventually finds his "hockey chutzpah."

Hyman certainly has no shortage of chutzpah, going after his passions at full tilt all his life. His free time over the

years has been filled with the **BRAINY BRAWN** books famil-

On top of writing children's books, Leafs acquisition Zach Hyman recently earned an honours degree in history.

ter series to the Game of Thrones books to, yes, the Canadian classic The Hockey Sweater.

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"I've always loved reading," said the millennial. "I also enjoy writ-

ing ... it's an outlet."

While Hyman got sent down to the AHL's Marlies earlier this month, he's taking all the up and downs in stride (or should I say, glide).

Unlike some pro athletes Hyman clearly has brawn and brains. That's a combination that will surely continue to make him someone to be reckoned with on and off the ice.



#### **WRITING FOR KIDS**

Here are a few other athletes who've taken a swing at writing children's books over the years.

#### **Derek Jeter** The retired

New York Yankee now has publish



ing imprint and has already published two books aimed at middle-graders: The Contract and Hit & Miss. There are plans for many more books based on the shortstop's journey from gifted child to adult superstar.

#### R.A. Dickey

The Toronto Blue Jays pitcher published his anti-bullying picture book, Knuckleball Ned, last year. The famous ballplayer is also a

famous bookworm, and says Ernest Hemingway's works helped him through a tough upbringing.

#### **Dennis Rodman**

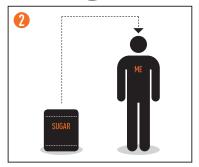
Yep, the wild former Chicago Bulls player, co-wrote a kids book

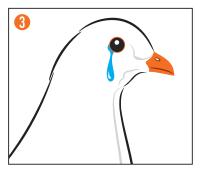
called Dennis the Wild Bull in 2013. Parents need not be concerned, this is not a followup to his autobiography Bad As I Wanna Be and apparently the brightly coloured kids book is dedicated to

Rodman's real-life offspring. MELISSA

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# What's in processed foods and why

#### INGREDIENTS

#### New book takes objective look at 75 food additives

Eva Kis Metro | New York

There's a lot of finger-pointing going on in the food world about the role of what we eat — specifically processed food — in modern problems from metabolic disease to depression. Steve Ettlinger doesn't take sides, but he'd appreciate it if there were a little less noise and a little more science.

"I think it's important not to freak out — as some bloggers have — that something in food also has an industrial use," he says. "It's important to turn down the chemophobia; and yet on the other hand, it's healthy to be fascinated by the fact that some of these things are made in chemical plants."



Steve Ettlinger's book Ingredients strips away the hype of food additives. DWIGHT ESCHLIMAN

#### Ecological detective

His new book, Ingredients, highlights 75 of the most common additives (there are thou-

sands) with periodic table-like photographs by Dwight Eschliman to explain how they were invented, where they're made and what they do. Ettlinger describes the writing process as having to become the "determined ecological

detective" of The Omnivore's Dilemma to tell the stories of these ingredients on a high school science

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level. "Just as there's a terroir

The book also breaks down 25 common foods, like Doritos chips, nto their individual ingredients.

> 80," he says. What Ingredients doesn't do is take sides on whether an additive is healthy or not. "An observational perspective can help

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educate people without conclusions and emotions," explains Eschliman.

Without the baggage of hysteria, what's left is admiration for the ingenuity of additives — and surprise at how the "natural" and "artificial" worlds can blur. Many additives are derived from sources like kelp, while products once thought of as waste now have rock star status, like whey.

Additives also evolve — partially hydrogenated vegetable oil no longer contains trans fats — while lab-made ingredients could be doing the heavy lifting that would be much more expensive, and possibly more harmful, than their natural alternatives, like artificial sweeteners versus sugar.

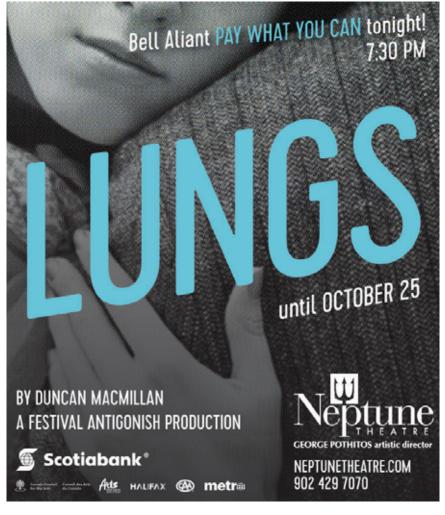
#### 'Chemophobia'

Though the book acknowledges that "everyone should know to eat mostly fruit, vegetables and whole grains,' that doesn't justify kneejerk "chemophobia" just because an ingredient sounds "chemical-y." Take, for example, dihydrogen monoxide. Sounds sinister, doesn't it? As Ingredients points out, it's in everything from paint to acid rain. It's even fatal in large enough doses, and inhaling it can kill you, too. Yet, none of us would be alive if it weren't for good old water.

The forces that decide what foods end up on shelves are both scientific and political, with a patchwork of agencies trying to keep up with the pace of innovation. If Ingredients has one call to action, it's this: Being an educated consumer is the healthiest choice you can make.



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Rose Reisman FATTHS

#### **THIS WEEK: Tim Hortons**

It's said that breakfast is the most important meal of the day, and judging by the morning lineups at coffee shops and fast food joints, Canadians sure love their a.m. food fix. With the morning rush, most people are looking

for a tasty and filling breakfast. Beware of those that may be disguised as healthy but are loaded with calories, fat and sodium. A steady diet of these meals can raise the risk of stroke and cardiovascular disease.





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## HERE'S WHY



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# Tangy tea's alcohol level causes clash

#### REGULATIONS

#### Kombucha dealers push back against fines in U.S.

A tangy fermented tea called kombucha has moved from the natural foods aisle to the mainstream. But it's also moved into the hot seat amid renewed concerns that it can contain low levels of alcohol.

Five years after alcohol levels detected in kombucha prompted nationwide recalls, U.S. federal authorities again are warning producers to relabel their products to indicate alcohol content or face fines. But this time around dozens of producers are resisting, and have asked for new federal tests to help them avoid running afoul of alcohol laws.

Kombucha is a tea that has been fermented with bacteria and yeast, giving it a tart, vinegar-like zip and high levels of bacteria that some consider to



Kombucha, a fermented tea, can contain 0.5 per cent alcohol, landing it in the sights of the U.S. authorities. ISTOCK

impart health benefits.

Îts popularity in recent years has landed kombucha in the sights of the U.S. Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau. That's because the fermentation process can give the drink too much alcohol for it to be legally sold as a non-alcoholic beverage.

Kombucha makers complain that the alcohol threshold that triggers the law — 0.5 per cent is too low to intoxicate people.

Kombucha tea naturally walks the line of what federal author-

ities consider an alcoholic beverage. Yeast and sugars in the tea create both the desired bacteria and alcohol. A kombucha tea can edge toward 1 per cent alcohol if it is aged and not refrigerated.

Kombucha brewers say the agency needs a new alcohol test specific to fermented drinks. They say the commonly used test to determine alcohol by volume doesn't account for naturally occurring sediment in kombucha, from bits of tea leaves to strands of yeast. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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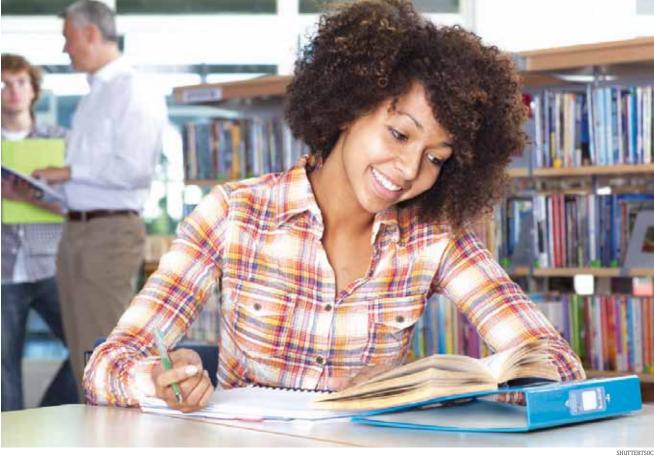
With midterms around the corner, panic may be setting in for students who have been procrastinating. But there is still time to study effectively, says Joanne Dominico, a learning strategist at Toronto's Centennial

"Students should be reviewing notes regularly within 24 hours of each class and at the end of the week because it helps to commit concepts from short- to long-term memory," she says. "But procrastination is so common that a major review can be done one to two weeks beforehand.

To successfully use the time left before midterms, Dominico suggests setting a study schedule that allows for breaks and contains goals, as well as a list of exam topics so you can cover your weakest areas first. That way, if you run out of time, you will have studied the topics with which you were least familiar.

"Writing things down will make you more likely to do them," she says. "Also, studies show people who break up study times into smaller segments tend to retain more. Add 10-minute breaks for every hour of study. They'll also give you a chance to check your phone, which should be on

To maximize study times, Dominico says, try well-known methods, such as the SQ3R



strategy for reading textbooks, which can easily be applied to midterm prep.

"The first 'S' is for survey, so scan the intro, bolded points, graphs and conclusion," she says. "The 'Q' stands for question. Most textbooks have questions, which you use to make flashcards. The first 'R' stands for read. As you read, you look for the answers, which keeps you interested. When you find an answer, write it on the flashcard. Then recite out loud and review."

You should also remember, Dominico says, that you aren't alone. Check out your school's website or library to see what services are available.

And once midterms are over, Dominico

advises using the results to determine whether you need to rethink the way you

"If you're happy with your results, keep doing what you're doing. If not, you can tweak how you study until you find a style that works for you."

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We have to recognize what is influencing us because until the environment and our prompts change, making healthy decisions

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Kirk points to culprits such as sleek advertising and a food industry that is in the business of consumption and has hijacked terms such as "in moderation" as dominant influencers. She says, rather than the arbitrary "in moderation" mantra, the 80-20 rule is a much better method on which to base your nutritional decisions.

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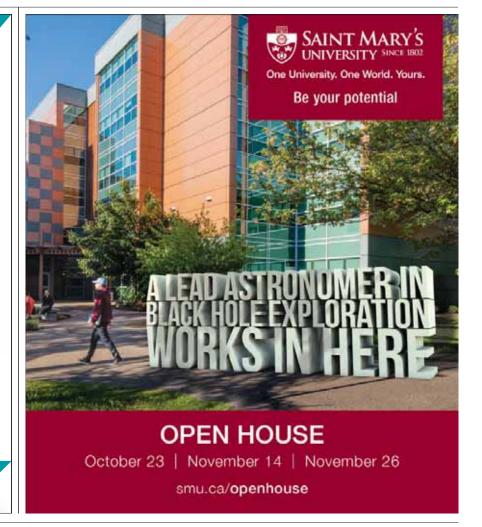
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# 'We beat ourselves,' say remorseful Mooseheads

**QMJHL** 

## Herd's defence left goalie Resop high and dry in Tigres victory



It may have been the Victoriavile Tigres who skated away with a 6-1 win, but the Halifax Mooseheads all seemed to agree on who really defeated them Friday night at the Scotiabank Centre.

"We beat ourselves," Herd rookie forward Barrett Dachyshyn, 17, said after a rough game in front of 6,008 spectators that ended with salt being rubbed into the wound, by way of a shorthanded breakaway goal from Tigres forward Mario Huber with less than five seconds left on the clock.

"We left Kevin (Resop) to hang out to dry there," the 174-pound, six-foot-two centreman from Halifax said of the Mooseheads goaltender, who made 18 saves, despite the Tigres' ability to get the puck past Halifax's blue line to score at least half of their goals without any Mooseheads back to help out.

'We've got to tighten up



Timo Meier of the Halifax Mooseheads (No. 3) impressed, along with Bradley Lalonde (No. 2) and Carl Marois (No. 1) of the Victoriaville Tigres.

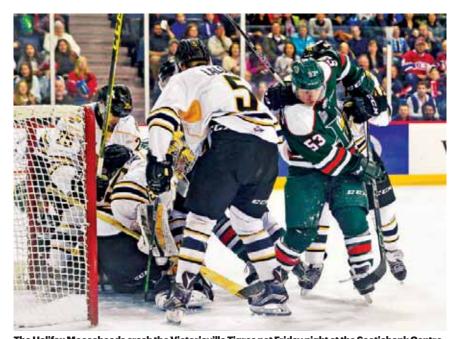
on making the right passes," Dachyshyn said, adding a combination of "bad bounces" and poor turnovers resulted in the six goals against.

"Just making too many little mistakes led to their goals," he said. After a scoreless first period, Victoriaville forward Pascal Laberge opened it up just over two minutes into the second with an unassisted marker all alone in Halifax's end.

The Herd answered back a couple of minutes later on a pretty power-play goal from captain Timo Meier, with defenceman Cavan Fitzgerald and forward Otto Somppi both chipping in on the play, but that would be the lone Mooseheads goal of the night.

"I passed it to Cavan, and he passed it to Timo, and he shot it," Somppi, a six-footone, 181-pound import from Helsinki, Finland, said outside the dressing room.

Somppi's assist was his 11th of the season, putting him in the team lead for that category. He also has one goal, but said



The Halifax Mooseheads crash the Victoriaville Tigres net Friday night at the Scotiabank Centre.

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he's determined to take "more shots" to help get the Herd on the scoreboard more.

For the Tigres, forward Carl Marois had a hat trick, including one goal on a five-on-three power play. Jacob Lapierre notched one in the middle frame, also with the man-advantage. Samuel Blais and Bradley Lalonde both had

two assists, while Olivier Tremblay made 31 saves.

"It was our fault that we lost," Somppi, 17, said, adding the Herd talked about refocusing for its next game, on the road against the Acadie-Bathurst Titan next Wednesday night.
"I think it's time to grow up,

"I think it's time to grow up, and get used to the pace and speed of the guys," Dachyshyn agreed. The Mooseheads have a 2-7-1-1 record so far on the 2015-16 season, putting them in 15th place of the Quebec Major Junior Hockey League, and in fifth place of the Maritimes Division.

"We're close to the bottom of the standings, so we have to pick up our slack," he said.

### **AUS IN BRIEF**

#### HOCKEY

The Saint Mary's Huskies are up one in their Halifax hockey rivalry for the 2015-16 season. They beat the Dalhousie Tigers 4-1 at the Halifax Forum on Saturday.

Bradley Greene, Kyle Pereira, Francis Menard and Stephen Shipley scored for Saint Mary's, while Fabian Walsh notched the lone goal for Dalhousie, according to the official game sheet.

Also in Atlantic University Sport action, the Moncton Aigles Bleus beat the St. Thomas Tommies 4-1 on Thursday, while the St. Francis X-Men defeated the Acadia Axemen 3-1 and defending conference champions UNB Varsity Reds romped the UPEI Panthers 8-2, also both on Saturday.

#### **FOOTBALL**

Another weekend of Atlantic University Sport football, another loss for the Saint Mary's Huskies.

The Halifax university squad fell 47-9 to the Acadia Axemen at home Friday night, in what was its fifth straight loss of the 2015 season.

Nickolas Bynkoski of the Axemen was named player of the game for going 19 for 23, with 262 yards and four touchdowns, according to atlanticuniversitysport. com. Saint Mary's QB Trevor Erdmann went 13 for 17 with 157 yards and a touchdown.

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# Blue Jays withstand Texas heat

MLB PLAYOFFS

#### **Toronto finds** its power stroke to send series home

After twice being on the brink of playoff extinction, the Blue Jays are now one win away from the American League Championship Series.

Backed by early Josh Donaldson, Chris Čolabello and Kevin Pillar home runs, R.A. Dickey and David Price combined for 7-2/3 innings as Toronto defeated the Texas Rangers 8-4 to tie their AL Division Series at two games apiece.

The deciding Game 5 goes Wednesday at the Rogers Centre, with hope of a happy ending for Toronto's first foray into the playoffs in 22 years. The home team has yet to win in the series.

Price relieved Dickey with two outs in the fifth and the Jays leading 7-1, meaning Marcus Stroman will likely start Wednesday in what could be a rematch of Game 2 against Cole Hamels.

Price threw 50 pitches over three innings, giving up three runs on six hits with two strikeouts. Aaron Sanchez and Roberto Osuna finished it off for the Jays.

Toronto outhit Texas 12-11. It was Price's first relief outing in five years. He made five playoff relief appearances in 2008 with Tampa Bay.

The six-foot-six left-hander, the losing pitcher in Game 1,



Blue Jays designated hitter Edwin Encarnacion scores under Rangers catcher Robinson Chirinos on Monday in Arlington, Texas. TONY GUTIERREZ/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

is now 2-6 all-time in the postseason. The two wins are both as a reliever and the six losses all as a starter.

After losing the first two games 5-3 and 6-4 in 14 innings in Toronto, the Jays had taken one step out of the hole they had dug themselves when they defeated Texas 5-1 Sunday on the strength of Troy Tulowitzki's three-run homer.



**ALDS Game 4** 



On Monday, they smacked the Rangers about from the getgo. Texas' ever present Never-EverQuit Twitter hashtag suddenly was the Jays' domain.

Toronto led 3-0 before Dickey set foot on the mound. It was 4-0 after two innings and 7-1 after three. Things settled down after that.

The Jays, who managed three home runs in the first three

games, matched that total in two innings Monday for a franchise playoff record. It marked the first time the Blue Jays have hit three homers in a post-sea-

two-homer games. Rangers third baseman Adrian Beltre returned to the lineup after leaving Game 1 with a lower back strain and had a pair of hits. THE CANADIAN PRESS

son game. The team had nine

## APOLOGY

#### Revnolds said he meant no harm with comment

Television broadcaster Harold Reynolds apologized on Monday and said that he didn't mean to upset Canadians with a comment he made during Game 3 of the series.

After a foul ball by Blue Jays outfielder Jose Bautista in the fourth inning of Sunday's 5-1 win, the FOX

tator said "there's not a lot of people up plaving baseball in Canada, they're not Harold used to catching a



in the stands ... not many people catching that one, anyway."

Sorry Canada, whole country, if I offended you for that," Reynolds said Monday in an interview on Sportsnet during the pre-game show in Canada. "I'm well aware of the baseball players that have come out of there."

He added he was unaware of the controversy until former NL MVP Larry Walker of Maple Ridge, B.C., called him Monday morning. THE CANADIAN PRESS

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**MLB PLAYOFFS** 

# Royals rally to force Game 5

Astros shortstop Carlos Correa couldn't handle a deflected grounder that might have been a double-play ball, helping the Kansas City Royals rally for five runs in the eighth inning to beat Houston 9-6 Monday and force their playoff series to a decisive Game 5.

Correa homered twice, doubled, singled and drove in four runs in Game 4 of the AL Division Series. Houston took a 6-2 lead into the eighth, but a tough error charged to the 21-year-old rookie keyed the Royals' comeback to even the matchup at two games apiece.

Game 5 will be back in Kansas City on Wednesday night. Johnny Cueto is set to start for the Royals against Collin McHugh.

Colby Rasmus homered for Houston, his fourth in five playoff games this October.

Salvador Perez hit a two-run homer in the second to give the Royals an early lead.

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# Isles stay afloat in Brooklyn

NHL

#### Tavares leads team to first victory in its new home

Though it was only their third game of the season, the New York Islanders felt a great sense of relief on Monday.

John Tavares had a powerplay goal and added two assists and the Islanders beat the Winnipeg Jets 4-2 on Monday afternoon to earn their first victory in Brooklyn.

"I think we're most excited for ourselves," said forward Ryan Strome, who opened the scoring with a power-play goal at 19:48 of the first period.

"It's great for Brooklyn and great for the fans who have been loud and supportive."

Thomas Greiss made 22 saves and the Islanders sent the Jets to their first loss in three games this season.

The home team came out with purpose after losing their opening two games of the season to the defending champion Blackhawks, one in overtime at



Islanders goaltender Thomas Greiss makes a save on the Jets' Nikolaj Ehlers in Brooklyn on Monday. BRUCE BENNETT/GETTY IMAGES

home and the other in regulation in Chicago.

"We seemed to be more in sync and we were hungry on the puck," Tavares said. "There was a lot more familiarity here and that made a big difference."

The Islanders outshot the

visitors 16-6 in the opening period and had a 20-9 shots advantage in the second. Jets goaltender Ondrej Pavelec made a number of key saves in the first as the Islanders had four power-play chances.

Strome banged in a rebound

with a man advantage with 12 seconds left in the first, giving the Brooklyn matinee crowd a chance to launch their standard "Yes! Yes! Yes!" chant.

Brock Nelson made it 2-0 on a wrist shot from the right wing at 6:46 of the second after Tav**MORE SCORES** 

#### **Lightning 6, Bruins 3**

Steven Stamkos scored his 500th career point with a tiebreaking powerplay goal, and Brian Boyle scored two goals in Tampa Bay's victory.

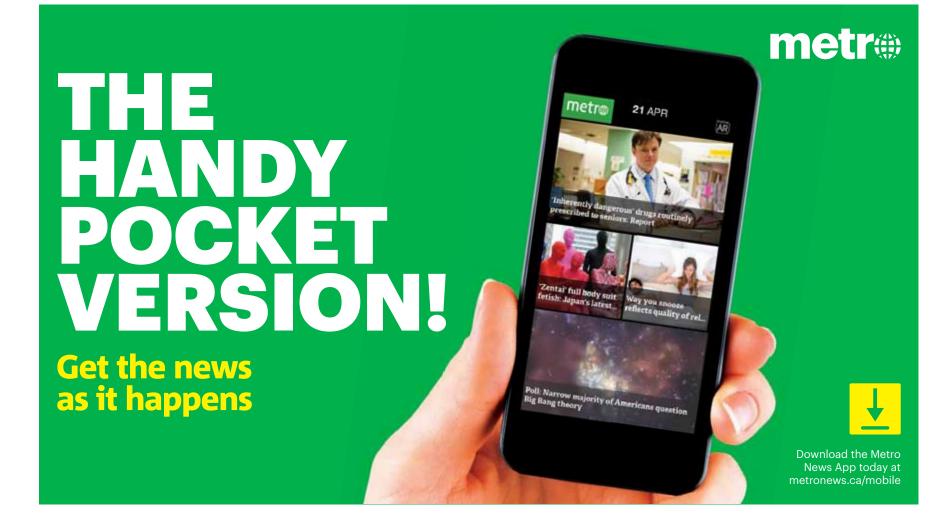
#### Sabres 4, Blue Jackets 2

Rookie star Jack Eichel scored a nifty unassisted goal that stood as the game-winner and coach Dan Bylsma earned his first victory with Buffalo.

ares slid him the puck from the left side. Defenceman Johnny Boychuk also assisted on Nelson's first goal of the season.

Tavares increased the margin to 3-0 at 10:45 of the second after Pavelec stopped Marek Zidlicky's shot from the point and the rebound came to Tavares perched to the goaltender's left.

Josh Bailey added an emptynet goal with 19 seconds left after Mark Scheifele and Dustin Byfuglien scored for Winnipeg.
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#### Ingredients

- 3 Tbsp Dijon mustard
- 3 Tbsp maple syrup
- · 2 Tbsp apple cider vinegar
- 1 large apple, peeled, cored and chopped into 1/2 inch wedges (use a firm apple like Gala or Honey Crisp)
- 2 tsp thyme, finely chopped
- •1 smallish sweet potato, peeled and chopped into 1/2-inch discs
- 1 onion, peeled and sliced into 1/4 inch rounds
- 1.25 1.5 kg pork loin · Salt and pepper

- 1. Preheat the oven to 425 degrees. In a small bowl, mix 1 Tbsp Dijon, 1 Tbsp maple syrup, 1 Tbsp vinegar.
- 2. Assemble apples and vegetables in two rows in a roasting pan, alternating onion, sweet potato and apple. Brush marinade over everything. Roast 25 minutes.
- 3. Mix the rest of the Dijon, syrup, vinegar and thyme. Season pork with salt and pepper then brush marinade all over. Take roasting pan out of oven and place loin in between the two rows of fruit and veg. It's fine if they overlap. Place back in oven 20 to 25 minutes. The internal temperature of pork should be between 140 and 145 degrees.
- 4. Take everything out and cover with foil and let meat rest about 10 minutes before serving.

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## IT'S ALL IN THE STARS by Sally Brompton

Aries March 21 - April 20 The more you try to force events in one direction the more they seem to move in the opposite. Today's new moon in your opposite sign is an invitation to go with the flow. It won't be so bad.

Taurus April 21 - May 21 There is a strong possibility that partners, friends and even work colleagues will be opposed to what you want to do today. Being the stubborn Taurus you are that will only make you more determined to do it.

Gemini May 22 - June 21 You will one day be glad that you were forced to make certain changes, and if you stop struggling and work with them today you will benefit financially and professionally

Cancer June 22 - July 23 Keep doing what you are doing and keep believing that your input makes a difference. Remember though that a job well done is a job you should also be paid for.

**Leo** July 24 - Aug. 23 Make this the day you throw out all the emotional junk you have acquired over the past six months or so. If a relationship has become too stifling now is a good time to start putting some distance between you.

**Virgo** Aug. 24 - Sept. 23 Pace yourself sensibly and make sure you are flexible so you can deal with whatever fate chooses to throw your way. What occurs is likely to catch everyone by surprise, but you will recover faster than most.

**Libra** Sept. 24 - Oct. 23 Don't give up on something just because it is proving difficult. Today's new moon in your sign indicates that if you stick it out a little longer you will get the breakthrough you have been hoping for.

Scorpio Oct. 24 - Nov. 22 Don't take it to heart if certain people seem to be avoiding you. It does not mean they no longer like you. The most likely reason is that they don't want to burden you with their woes.

Sagittarius Nov. 23 - Dec. 21 What happens over the next 24 hours will take most people by surprise. but not you. You have sensed for quite some time that a big change was coming, so you will be ready for it. Help those who take it hard

Capricorn Dec. 22 - Jan. 20 You have no time for trivial ambitions and still less time for trivial people and what happens today and tomorrow will make it clear to every one that you are a serious player.

Aquarius Jan. 21 - Feb. 19 Yesterday's Sun-Uranus link broke up something that once seemed so solid and stable and today's new moon will show you what is going to replace it. Chances are you will be delighted with this new state of affairs.

Pisces Feb. 20 - March 20 What happens over the next few days may be unsettling but if you keep your wits about you there is no reason why you should not profit from the situation. Use your Pisces sensitivity

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